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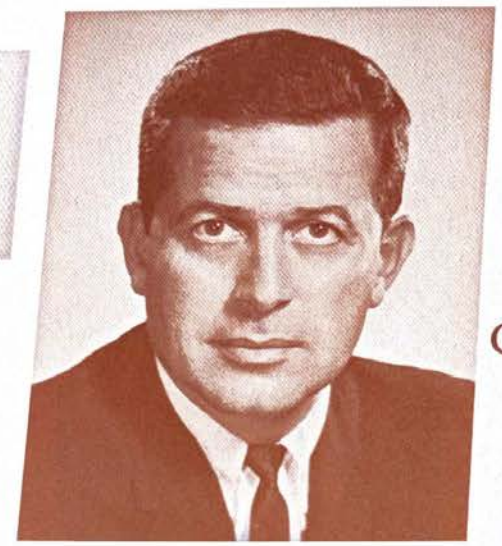

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32ND ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

Assemblyman George Zenovich, a native of Fresno, is the son of Nicholas and Eva Zenovich who immigrated to this country at the turn of the century from Yugoslavia. He attended Fresno city schools and was Student Body President of Fresno High. He graduated from Fresno State College with a Political Science Major and was Student President in 1946-1947; graduated from Southwestern College of Law, Los Angeles, with an LL.B. in Law; and was admitted to the California Bar in 1953.

Assemblyman Zenovich served three years in the Air Force, part of the time as a Japanese Code Interceptor Operator and later as a musician in General Kenny's 13th Air Force Band at Nadzab, New Guinea, and Clark Field in the Philippines.

Zenovich has been a practicing attorney in Fresno since he was admitted to the Bar, except for approximately two years in 1954 and 1955 which he spent in Europe. While in Europe he attended the International Academy of Law at the Hague, Holland, toured Western Europe and spent considerable time in Yugoslavia. He married just prior to leaving Yugoslavia. His wife, Vera, had just completed law school at the University of Sarajevo. He is associated with Charles W. Edwards in Fresno, and they specialize in Municipal and County Government Law, particularly in the formation and operation of water works districts, off-site improvement districts, community services districts, county service areas and sanitation districts.

George's early political activity in the Democratic Party began with support of Franklin D. Roosevelt, and later he campaigned for Harry Truman and Adlai Stevenson in the Fresno area. In 1956, he was elected to the Fresno County Democratic Central Committee, served as treasurer for four years, and was still a member when elected to the Assembly in 1962. He was co-chairman of the Stanley Mosk campaign, Fresno County, in 1958, and in 1960 formed the first Fresno County Democratic Committee for President John F. Kennedy, a committee of which he subsequently became Chairman.

George's legislative interests are in the fields of municipal and county government, finance and insurance, water, judiciary, natural resources, planning and public works, and he has indicated an interest in social welfare. His stated philosophy is that he is a progressive Democrat with respect to fiscal and economic affairs of government, and a liberal Democrat with respect to Civil Liberties.

George is affiliated with the American, California and Fresno County Bar Associations; International Academy of Law, the Hague, Holland; Institute of International Affairs; Commonwealth Club; N.A.A.C.P.; Fresno Community Services Organization; Musicians Union, Fresno and Los Angeles; Boys Club; "B" Street Community Center, Fresno; V.F.W.; American Legion; Eagles; Y.M.C.A.; and Fresno State College Alumni.

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